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Subject: RE: NSTS: MA's position on change of basis

On behalf of Robert Walker, Director, MA Radiation Control Program, I would like to formally comment on the Federal Register solicitation regarding the National Source Tracking System (NSTS) change in basis from common defense and security to health and safety. Massachusetts is opposed to this change in basis, from common defense & security to health & safety. We have concerns about the strain this would place on already stretched resources.

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Cc: Dennis Rathbun; Janet Schlueter; Merri Horn
Subject: NSTS: MA's position on change of basis

Massachusetts Radiation Control Program:

The NRC does not appear to have received a formal comment from Massachusetts in response to the Federal Register solicitation regarding the National Source Tracking Rule change of basis from Common Defense and Security to Public Health and Safety. NRC would like to confirm that Massachusetts still prefers the National Source Tracking System Rule to remain under the Common Defense and Security basis rather than Public Health and Safety - according to the informal poll that was taken a few months ago. Please respond as soon as possible. Also please copy Merri Horn (MLH1@nrc.gov) 301-415-8126 on your response.

Thank you,

Josh

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MA has asked that the attached email be treated as a formal comment on the NST basis change.

In addition, I received a copy of a letter from Illinois (Gary Wright) dated July 24. The letter is addressed to Janet Schleuter, Director of STP. Do you have this letter? I have not seen it via the RIDS distribution.

Thanks,

Merri

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